

REMARKS

Review of the claims in this application following receipt of the Official Notice of Allowance mailed June 19, 2001, has revealed a minor grammatical error appearing in Claims 7-10. In those claims, "barg" has been amended to read "bar." This is consistent with the specification, as set forth for example at page 5, lines 4 and 5. No new matter is entered.

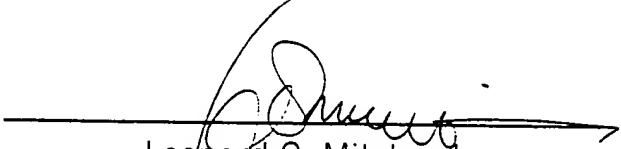
Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the specification and claims by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned "**Version With Markings To Show Changes Made.**"

Entry of the requested amendments is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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IN THE CLAIMS

7. (Amended) A process as claimed in claim 1 wherein the hydrogen is present at a partial pressure of from 0.1 to 10 [barg] bar.

8. (Amended) A process as claimed in claim 4 wherein the hydrogen is present at a partial pressure of from 0.1 to 10 [barg] bar.

9. (Amended) A process as claimed in claim 5 wherein the hydrogen is present at a partial pressure of from 0.1 to 10 [barg] bar.

10. (Amended) A process as claimed in claim 6 wherein the hydrogen is present at a partial pressure of from 0.1 to 10 [barg] bar.